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**DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY**  
(Related Application)

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled

Cutting or grinding oil composition

the specification of which is attached hereto and/or was filed on June 25, 2001 as Application No. 09/891,486.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to herein.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56.

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**FOREIGN PRIORITY APPLICATION(S)**

11-302504	Japan	25/OCT/1999	<u>Priority Claimed</u>
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**PROVISIONAL PRIORITY PATENT APPLICATION**

<u>Priority Claimed</u>		
(Application No.)	(Filing Date)	[ ] Yes [ ] No
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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, Section 120, of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application or in the prior U.S. provisional application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, Section 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56, which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

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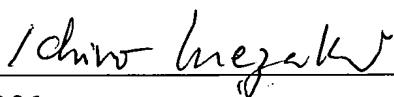
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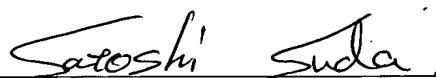
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